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Local Matters.

W. F. PATTISON, Local Editor.

SATURDAY, May 15, 1880.

NOW GET MARRIED.

We will send a copy of the COMMERCIAL, *free*, to every new bride in the city of Ypsilanti, Ypsilanti town, Augusta, York, Milan, Pittsfield, Saline, Superior, Salem, Sumpter, and Van Buren, until March 1st, '81, who will promptly send us a notice of her marriage, and her address.

Personals are solicited. All persons going away on a visit or having friends visiting them from abroad are requested to notify us by mail or otherwise.

Don't forget that all annual subscriptions due after June 1st will be charged $1.10, The *Commercial* at $1.00 per annum is dog cheap and cannot be sustained only on the strictly *cash advance system*.

The Ann Arbor *Democrat* is the organ of the Homeopathis.

Barnum is coming to Ypsilanti. His first visit to this city.

Sweet Bros. are doing a big business in the way of screen doors and windows. See ad.

The Maashal is doing a good job on the sewer, conveying the water from Mill st. across River st.

Reduction of the National debt for April over $12,000,000. Ain't we coming into daylight?

Mrs. John McCauley, has receipted all her claims against the city for $60. The city made a good bargain.

The primary school which has been somewhat broken up by the measles, is regaining its former numbers.

Capt. E. P. Allen has his law office fixed up in superb style, new floor, calsomined. a nice place for visitor or patron.

Ypsilanti is honored by the State Fire Associations as follows: Clark Cornwell President, Statistician S. E. Batwell.

A large number of the delegates to the Republican convention this week took dinner at Rice's Temperance Hotel.

Dr. Post has taken an office in the P. O. Block, room opposite Capt. Allen's, formly occupied by Dr. Baldwin the dentist.

Comstock & Co. have been "fixing things up," among other things enclosing their show windows with a tasty netting.

$400, in cash sales for two days, last Saturday and Monday, is pretty good for Ypsilan i. But A. William's and Co. did it.

The large cistern on Ellis street, having sprung a leak, the steamer was busy Tuesday evening pumping it dry. It is to be repaired and refilled.

Ypsilanti is the only town between Detroit and Marshall favored this year by a visit from the greatest show on earth! Isn't Barnum shrewd?

Lawyer Crane is full of business as in days of yore, before the varioloid switched him off from the track. He ain't going to visit smoking cars any more.

Revs. Washburn and Scott changed pulpits last Sunday morning. The arrangements were made after the announcements had been given to the COMMERCIAL.

Watson Barr is the agent of The Royce reaper, a first class machine. The machine is well liked, or Mr. Barr would not continue the agency year after year.

The article, headed "Bound to get Married" in the COMMERCIAL a few weeks since, has brought Mr. Collins letters from all over the country inquiring for partners.

We saw Mr. Merchant Goodrich, of Ann Arbor, the other day. He says the Pioneer room in the Court House needs furnishing muchly. Now ladies to the rescue.

A gain of 108 Republican supervisors is not a bad showing. The Democracy fee blue over it and the *Sentinel* gives it up. It says "no one is expecting to carry the State next fall."

Mr. Curran will speak at the Good Templars social, Saturday evening. There will also be music, reading, and a good time. Splendid ice-cream. Give us a call. By order of Com.

What sort of an idea would it be to have a great Patent car coupler manufactory in Ypsilanti? W. I. Penniman of this city is the inventor of a coupler that seems to take with the great railroads of the country.

The Supreme Court having decided that all alternative fines or punishments are void, all our ordinances passed under the old charter directing such punishment, are worthless, a revision is demanded so that all the ordinances may conform to the new charter.

Rev. Mr. Richmond gave a sermon to the little folks last Sunday evening, that would not hurt older folks to follow. He took for his text, Bible, with the following natural divisions:

First, B.—Buy one, and bring it with you.
Second, I.—Investigate it.
Third, B.—Believe it.
Fourth, L.—Live it.
Fifth, E.—Experience it.

The first time we ever saw the late E. J. Mills, was during the campaign of 1876. He was wide awake for Fremont, a member of the Brooklyn Campaign Glee Club. His club was a power in carrying that section of the State for Fremont. Frelinghuysen. Gov. Blair did not do more to revolutionize Jackson County than did the ringing voice of E. J. Mills, the soul of that club.

A full delegation from Washtenaw attended the Republican state convention, Wednesday; also a large number of citizens. Ypsilanti took the lead, addressing the convention through the chairman, Capt. Allen. It was conceded on all sides that the Capt. made the best chairman the convention has had for years. Aside from the "awful" first district, everything passed off pleasantly. The convention was composed mostly of morai, upright men and there was a determination to have peace and unity. The eulogies upon Chandler and Howard were appropriate. The house fairly shook when the name of Blaine was proposed, but, a resolution derogatory to a third term was hissed down. Grant would be the second choice of a large portion of the delegates.

A temperance County Mass Convention is to be held in Ann Arbor, May 28th. All the temperance organizations in the county are requested to attend, for the purpose of perfecting a county organization in the interests of the proposed constitutional Amendments. Bring your families and baskets for a picnic and be on hand at the opera house at 2 P. M. Messrs. Bontecou, Fraser, Kemp, Shier, Judge Phinney and Mrs. Schuyler will address the meeting. Four brass bands. Let us show the Liquor Dealers Association that we are alive and ready for the fight. We want to make this the grandest and best Temperance Meeting ever held in old Washtenaw.

By order County Com.

D. R. SHIER
Chairman.

This is the first time Barnum has exhibited in Ypsilanti.

Rev. Mr. Washburne will preach to-morrow to his former congregation in Detroit, Rev. Mr. Poole being unable to fill his pulpit.

O. E. Thompson has for sale fertilizing salt at a rate every farmer and gardiner can afford. Go and see him. A full record of the chemical properties of the salt, etc., will be given next week.

A SAD AFFAIR.—Dr. Wm. G. Cox is in jail in Detroit, on the charge of murder by abortion, of Anna N. Clemens, the girl found in the Rouge a short time since. Dr. Cox was for a number of years a resident of this city.

Mr. W. G. Vistant, of Detroit, who has purchased Mr. Laible's beautiful residence on the plains, will be quite an acquisition to the good neighborhood of that famous locality. He will not make a permanent residence the present season.

Letters remaining in P. O. May 13th.

W. H. Brooks.	Lewis Brooks.
H. Bernick.	Mrs. Hattie Bird.
Mate Beattie.	W. J. Baxter.
C. M. Curtis.	Mrs. Louisa Cook.
Henry M. Johnson.	Jacob Green.
Wm. Johnson.	Jennie Monday.
Mrs. G. W. Smith.	Wm. Smith.
M. F. Terrell.	Wellington Taylor.
E. B. Tabls.	D. M. Wright.

N. Y. city tributary to Ypsilanti. The Ypsilanti paper Company is making paper for the New York *Sun*.

List of books added to the Ladies Library May 8th.

The Life of the Prince Consort—by Theodore Marten.
Lord Beaconsfield—George Brandes.
Sunshine and Storms in the East, or Cruises to Cypress and Constantinople—by Mrs. Brassey.
Memoirs of Madame Dr. Remusat, 1802, 1808—by Paul Dr. Remusat.
Phyllis—A novel, by the Duchess.
Louisiana—a novel, by Frances Hodgson Burnett.
Avis Benson—by Mrs. E. Prentiss.
A Fools Errand—by One of the Fools.
His Majesty Myself—No Name Series.
Household Puzzles—by Pansy.
The Randolphs—by Pansy.
For Her Dear Sake—Mary Cecil Hay.
Odd or Even—Mrs. A. D. T. Whitney.

The revised charter of our city as published is in bad shape. In 1866 there were 28 ordinances, since been added and only pasted in forty additional. Some of these under the new charter are worthless. Some antiquated, defective in form and difficult to enforce. Public convenience as well as welfare, demands a revamping, a complete revision. Some of the ordinances are spun out beyond all reason. It should be the policy of every municipality to have but few laws and enforce these few right up to the handle. The ordinances should be in as few words as possible, easily understood and enforced. The ordinances as now should not provide a punishment for their infraction and the city charter another.

Mr. Clarence E. Bray has gone to Syracuse, Ottoe County, Neb. It is a great pleasure to record worth and genuine desert in a young man. Clarence came from the farm into the city, where he had been faithful in every trust. He won the confidence of his employer, Mr. J. H. Sampson, also the patrons of the store. Aside from business, Clarence won a higher record worthy all commendation. Many a young man comes into the city from the farm, he enters at once into the whirlpool of temptation spends all his earnings on his back, at the theatre, in social parties, acquires bad and ruinous habits. Clarence did the exact reverse. He saved his money, joined the Good Templars occasionally went to a first class lecture, otherwise his evenings were spent in reading historical and other valuable works. He belongs to a class of young men and the only class it will pay a common sensed young woman to tie to. The silly pated can take the other class.

Whether Ypsilanti skill is appreciated at home or not, it is beginning to be recognized abroad. The dealers in reapers and mowers at Pontiac have been having a little friendly contest as to the merits of their different machines. D. B. Pitman represents the Royce, and another firm the Wood. Mr. Pitman hearing of the skill of Ed. Thompson, of this city, came down and gave him an order for two large pictures on canvass, measuring 8x18 feet. He finished them Thursday and they are "immense." They are headed with the names of the machine, the first one representing one man driving, using a whip vigorously, another helping him do the same thing, and a third a genuine darkey bringing on an extra mule. Crows are seen hovering around waiting for their prey. Two other men, one a characteristic Irishman, are standing by, and represented as making appropriate remarks. The second represents the other reaper being drawn along easily by two horses, while the extra help are amusing themselves in various ways. The pictures were orginated almost entirely by Ed. This is only a sample of what he is constantly doing. It is rare that we see such genius. Some of his work can be found at the Loan Exhibition.

At the Loan Exhibition decorative articles will be on hand from New York and Chicago. The reporter, not knowing that a friend had written an article on the exhibition, spent a portion of Thursday forenoon, looking over the relics, and advises every person within thirty miles of Ypsilanti to pay it a visit. To mention all that he saw, would fill the entire paper and will be reserved till some future date. Room No. 1 contains articles from 70 to 250 years old and some articles brought over in the Mayflower, Washington's camp kettle etc. Room No. 2, decorative art and bric-a-brac. In one corner is a shelf of very old books. No. 4, Old newspapers, and natural curiosities. Mr. Don. Batchelder has a very fine collection of marble and metals from all over the world. No. 5, Ladies needle work. Mrs. Barnes and Miss Ida Henderson have some very fine embroidered afghans. Rev. D. C. Roland, has contributed largely to all the departments. Monday evening the young people's department will be opened up stairs. If you want some fun you will and it there. Refreshments will be served in the evening.

Ypsilanti is know over the state as a temperance city. It is true that we have a band of temperance workers that cannot be beat, but yet there is a large whiskey traffic carried on in this city. It is carried on more quietly than in former times, but yet we occasionally see a revolting exhibition of its effects. Last Monday morning we saw a crowd gathered around a man who had just come down from the justice's office, after having been sentence to the county jail for drunkenness. He had a Bible and other books in his hands and was so drunk that he fell into the ditch in trying to escape from the officer. Tuesday two young men were on a drunk and were arrested; one of them escaped, from the officer, but was found in a saloon. While the temperance meetings are thinning out this warm weather, the saloons are beginning to be filled. It would open the eyes of a few if they would make a circuit of the saloons of this city some evening. They would find a number of young men for whom the temperance organizations are mostly formed acquiring habits that would lead to their ruin. We do not say this to discourage temperance workers. These facts ought to stimulate them to more earnest work, if that be possible, and lead to the awakening of these who have been neutral on this subject. Now is just the time thata good reading room or some place of resort is needed.

Mack & Mack, will begin work on their store the first of June. They will build an addition to their store of fifty feet, making a sales room 100 feet deep. The ceiling will be raised twelve feet, and a plate glass front put in.

A special meeting of the Baptist church and society is called to meet in the lecture room of the church on Tuesday eve May 18th., at 7:30 o'clock, for the purpose of considering the report of the committee on the church building fund, which will be presented at that time. The members of the church and congregation are cordially invited to be present.

J. H. SCOTT,
Pastor.

There is a question of interest to this city and the town of Superior. It is in the hands of the City Attorney, C. L. Whitman. The point at issue is as to which party belongs the payment of a bill amounting to $250. Some time ago a Mrs. Davis, inside the limits was thrown from a buggy, and her leg broken. Being poor and not able to be moved far, was cared for by the city authorities and the bill was charged up to the town of Superior. The town has, at each annual meeting, instructed the Supervisors not to spread the tax upon the roll, on the ground that Mrs. Davis was not a pauper having an interest in some land. The city claims that this interest is of small amount and not available for this purpose. The City Treasurer has withheld the amount, and the Attorney will apply to the Supreme Court for a mandamus to compel the Supervisor to spread the tax upon the roll, which, when collected will be paid to the treasurer and credited to the city, for the city will have to pay it and look to Superior for its remedy. The point at issue is:—1st., whether Mrs. Davis was a pauper, and 2d., whether each municipality or town shall be liable for its own poor wherever injured in the country.

PERSONALS.

Chas. Batwell will be in town till Monday.

John Stanley was in town Sunday with his father.

Mr. J. Bickford went Friday to the water cure at Mt. Clemens.

Prof. Estabrook has received a call to Olivet at a salary of $3,000.

Mr. Frank L. Showerman has returned from Iowa.

Mrs. Delos Showerman and Mrs. I. C. V. Wheat, are guests of Mrs. L. D. Showerman.

Mr. Otis Hall, has been spending a few days in Detroit visiting his son.

Mr. and Mrs. Dow of Chicago were the guests of Mr. D. S. Quirk over Sunday.

Dr. D. A. Post has moved to his new residence on Washington street, second house north of the Seminary.

Wilber Miller can now be found in his father's shop, engaged in looking after the soles of his friends and patrons.

Prof. Pease is to continue teaching music this summer. His present pupils will take a short vacation from June 2nd. to July 12th.

John M. Van Cleve Jr., started Wednesday for Minn., with his grand daughter, Susie McKinstry. They will be gone a few weeks.

LADIES LOAN ASSOCIATION.

A Matter of Interest to Every Man Woman and Child. A Good Time to Visit It To-Day, or Any Time You have Leisure Next Week.

ED. COMMERCIAL—On entering the building your attention is first called to the room of Relics on the right, when you are at once attracted to Indian curiosities, ancient china and peuter ware, military uniform. Dresses of 100 years ago or more, Portraits of the last Century and even relics of the Ancient mound builders. Passing through the archway, you enter a room of Decorative Arts. Here we find show cases filled with ornamental china, glass ware, artistic work on wood, satin and china. Paintings, ancient and modern, ancient books in Hebrew, Greek Latin French and English. The Cucko clock and others, carvings Chinese shoes, and a suspended Chinese God, etc. In the room beyond to the right you find before and around you a Gallery of fine arts people, consisting of Paintings ancient and modern. Sculpture, Engravings, Drawings, Bronzes and Photographs, turning to the left you enter the room containing minerals, shells, fossils, collections of bird's eggs, specimens of wood-petrifications, skeltonized leaves, mosses, herbariums, papers, corals, a solar timepiece, and a solar compas that secured a medal at the Worlds fair in 1851, Esquimaux implements and stuffed birds.

Passing into the next room beyond, we find the last but by no means the least in importance:—the room of "Busy Idleness" so called by Shakespere, where all is lovely that it is woman's delight to make so, fancy articles, embroidery, laces, silks and satins till you can't rest.

On ascending to the second story to the old Curiosity Shop department, we find it in progress but not ready for examination. In our next issue we will speak more at length of particular articles which are so well worth of comment.

NORMAL ITEMS.

Mayor Allen called at the Normal on Thursday.

The senior Greek class have had a class picture taken, roots and all.

Professor Estabrook the has been having ague; Professor Vrooman has also been on the sick list.

An ingenuous student on seeing some botany cases, asked what they did with those ice cream freezers.

A student who is fond of the study of botany, claims to have analysed over seven hundred plants.

Professor Dickie, of Albion, not Durkee as announced last week, will lecture at Normal Hall on Friday evening, May 21st.

A fair audience was present at Professor McLouth's lecture. The subject was handled in a very interesting, instructive manner.

A Normal Professor says that weak eyes are owing to the fact that they are in a weak place.

Professor Bellows and McLouth visited Ann Arbor on Wednesday, to get the measurements for computing the exact distance from Ypsilanti to that place. The members of the surveying class are figuring out the result.

Indications are that the Normal is soon to suffer from another attack of oratory and rhetoric. Some one says that he hopes the weather will continue cool so as to give a slight chance for life.

The discussion at the Lyceum on Friday evening was unusually lively and interesting. Messrs. Grawn, Mead, Clizbie and Hettinger participating. A strong majority decided that institutions for higher education should be supported by the state.

The Zealots and Pleiades societies will hold a union meeting this evening. The question, whether the law prohibits labor on Sunday should be repealed or not, will be discussed. J. N. Mead, aff., C. T. Grawn, neg. Music, recitations, and other excercises complete the program.

"CROOKED HAERTEL."—Accept a thousand thanks for that Golden Remedy. I suffered for many years with Rheumatic pains in my limbs, my legs were drawn together, and people called me "Crooked Haertel." I used ST. JACOBS OIL, and was cured, and now feel so well that I think I could dance as in my young days.

JOHN HAERTEL, *Fremont Ill.*

SUNDAY SERVICES.

SUBJECTS FOR TO-MORROW.

M. E. CHURCH.—Pulpit will be supplied by Rev. J. M. Arnold, of Detroit.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Pastor will conduct usual services.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH.—Pastor will conduct usual services.

BAPTIST CHURBH.—Services by Pastor. A. M., "The righteous man;" P. M. "Regeneration."

NEW CHURCH.—Mr. Laible will conduct services. P. M., "The black, white, red and pale horses of the Apocalypse which came forth on the opening of the books." The true meaning of this scripture.

COMMON COUNCIL REPORT.

[Omitted in last week's report.]

GENERAL STREET FUND—1ST DIST.

No.		
21	D. W. Thompson, cleaning snow and gutters	$ 29 07
22	Robbins & Sweet, graveling streets	41 26
1	Sanders, Harris, et al, gravel	294 85
2	W Robbins, crossings	7 25
3	Follmor & Scovill, lumber	80 61
4	Henderson & Sweet, "	14 70
5	A Gilmore, cleaning gutters	3 75
6	A H Smith, crossings and culverts,	20 99
7	" " " "	39 09
8	" " cleaning streets and making culverts	55 75
9	" " street work and crossings	115 48
10	Follmor & Scovill, lumber	98 47
11	C S Woodard, surveying	17 50
12	A H Smith, street work and paving	87 55
13	D W Thompson, " "	42 61
14	A H Smith, " "	89 18
15	Follmor & Scovill, lumber, Cross st. bridge	46 00
16	A H Smith, street work	104 40
17	" " crossings and street work	148 88
18	Henderson & Sweet, lumber	24 16
19	Follmor & Scovill, "	232 85
20	A H Smith, street work	45 48
21	Follmor & Scovill, lumber	40 77
22	A H Smith, street work	44 80
23	" " " "	17 85
24	Follmor & Scovill, lumber	79 99
25	A H Smith, street work	93 73
26	" " " "	18 61
27	C S Woodard, surveying	4 50
28	A H Smith, crossings and culverts,	33 77

Amount paid by Treasurer $1,973 90

GENERAL STREET FUND—2ND DIST.

No.		
14	D W Thompson, cleaning snow	1 13
1	A H Smith, gutters	12 50
2	" " crossings	16 45
3	F P Hunt, nails	76
4	Follmor & Scovill, lumber	36 79
5	H S Allen, trimming trees	9 75
9	D W Thompson, street work	53 55
7	Follmor & Scovill, lumber	53 07
8	A H Smith, crossings	27 06
0	James Nihill, paving alley	50 00
10	A H Smith, street work	41 63
11	Follmor & Scovill, lumber	25 98
12	A H Smith, street work	204 04
13	" " " "	102 75
14	" " " "	84 81
15	Babbitt & Griffen, gravel pit	150 00
16	Parsons Bros, lumber	18 77
17	A H Smith, street work	178 41
18	" " " "	20 50
19	C S Woodard, surveying	3 00

Amount paid by Treasurer $1,090 95

CITY CEMETERY FTND.

1	Contingent Fund, transfer	32 80

BARNUM ON HIS ANNUAL TOUR.

Barnum's advertisement announces the fact that he will bring his Great Show here on

WEDNESDAY, MAY 26th., 1880,

And give two exhibitions. He has achieved the greatest triumph of his life this season, and attracted the largest and best pleased audience he ever has had. The New York *Times* says:

"One would imagine, that long ere this, the world of novelties would have been exhausted of its wonders. Barnum, still vigorous and energetic, seems to hold the key of wonder-land to judge by the many new features that were introduced to audiences that twice, daily, during the past week, have taxed the utmost capacity of the American Institute. From the entry to the final act, three hours elapse, yet so novel and entertaining are the performances that the entire audience remains to the end. The procession at entree, with its double circle of glittering costumes and twenty-four ladies and gentlemen in the figures of the lancers, inaugurated the arenic show. Then followed an introduction of the living curiosities: Goshen, the giant, little Queen Mab, the smallest of feminines, the tattoed Greek, and the genuine Zulus. The latter gave their war songs and dances, and hurled the assegai with fatal aim at the target. Mons. R. H. Dockrill, introduced the trained stallions, Marmeluke and Pacha. Then followed Mlle. Leoni, in her principal bare-back act of equestrianism. It was her first appearance in the metropolis, and she was accepted as a favorite. John Robinson officiated as clown. The double acte de manage by Madame Martha and Prince Neygaard, presented these artists for the first time in this country. It was beautifully dressed and superbly mounted; each movement betrayed studied grace, yet the finish was so sudden and sensational as to exact the plaudits of excited audiences. The Nelson family, just from professional conquests in Europe, proved excellent in posturing and acrobatic fiddling. Orrin Hollis, a Western lad, bids fair to become an unrivaled horseman, and his riding was marked by wonderful skill, and his act was enlivened by eight clowns. Miss Emma Lake was enthusiastically received, and fully confirmed her previous popularity. Madme Nelson with her beautiful trained doves, presented a novel feature in the ring. Mme. Dockrill renewed her former triumph in the artistic and unsurpassed riding of both her principal and four-horse act.

The introduction by Charles White of the only yoke of performing oxen in the world, was a departure from the established methods of the arena, and obtained instantaneous success. Signor Sebastian's daring feat of carrying his son Master Louis, upon a bare backed horse constituted an electrical sensation. The leaping horse and stag "Landseer," each exhibited morvelous training, but the feature of the programme was the thrilling performances of the famous Zazel. Physically beautiful and graceful in every action, she has. by her daring, acheived a triumph equal to that which made her the talk of London and Paris. The act evidently requires courage as well as skill. High above an extensive net, and without a balancing pole she walks upon a steel thread so finely spun as to be almost invisible to the naked eye. Bounding from this wire to a trapeze, she then ascended to a horizontal bar immediately beneath the girders of the roof. The music stopped, and the audience became almost motionless. Zazel bent forward, dived into space headforemost, her little form flashed with the lightening speed, full fifty feet downward and in an instant she was upon her feet smiling her acknowledgment to thousands of excited spectators. Again ascending, she stood upon the edge of a cannon suspended from the roof, and then disappeared in its capacious interior. "Are you ready?" was asked. "Yes," was the answer. There was a quick, sharp report, and the human cannon ball had passed through sixty fect of space, and the long suspense of those in front ended in tremendous cheers for the lady athlete. To detail the wonders of the museum, the hundreds of animals in the menagerie, and all the glories of the greatest showman's latest effort would occupy more space than can be afforded. It will be, however, enough for the public to learn that the show is the largest and most exciting ever seen in this city.

On the day of the exhibition a ticket office will be opened at McKinstry's cigar store, where those who wish to avoid the crowds at the ticket wagon can procure tickets and reserve seats.

CLOTHING.

We have bought for the Spring trade the largest stock we ever had, knowing that by so doing we could buy at much Lower prices than they can be bought for now, and we propose to sell our Mens,' Boys' and Childrens' Clothing, Hats, Caps, Furnishing Goods, Cloths, and Suitings, (and our line of Suitings is immensely large and fine) at the Same Price the Goods were sold for last season. We invite all to call and examine our Goods and Prices.

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C. R. PATTISON, Editor.

Good Will to Man—Onward and Upward.

SATURDAY, May 15, 1880.

Florida is for Grant.

Nevada shouts for Blrine.

Ypsilanti deligates and visitors to the State convention report it one of the best and most enthusiastic held for years.

Blaine stock is rising. West Virginia follows glorious Michigan—solid for Blaine.

THE School Census foots up in Washtenaw County 12924 children, entitled to $6,042,,79.

WITH the retirement of Postmaster General Key the last vestige of the present administration's well-meant reconcilation policy disappears.

EVERY mention of the name of Blaine in the State convention was received with shouts of applause and by the entire assemblage.

GENERAL ULYSSES S GRANT was born on the 27th of April, 1822, in a small, one-story cottage, still standing, at Clermont, Ohio. "Unconditional Surrender Grant" will undoubtedly be the next president of the United States, as his renomination is as certain as any future event.—*Allegan Journal.*

Time will tell.

THERE are thirty-six Arcanam councils in Michigan. At the late annual National gathering in Detroit, the reports showed that the membership has increased during the year from four grand councils to ten; from 308 subordinate councils to 471; and 10,500 members to 20,500. There are $9,423 34 in the general fund and $4,034 62 in the benefit fund.

GRANT had a fearful setback in Chicago. The convention split; 48 delegate sloughed off and sent a separate delegation to Springfield. The main body sent a solid anti-Grant delegation. The primaries stood, Washburne, 73; Grant 69; Blaine, 29. The Washburne and Blaine men united and stood anti-Grant, 102.

Thus, Cook county with its 92 delegates is solidly anti-Grant. In the other counties Grant looms up largely. Winnebago county instructs for Grant; Alexander, ditto; Rockford county instructs for Grant by 81 to 22. Salem county unanimously Grant; Union county, Grant all over; and so it goes outside of Chicago. The prairies of Illinois are evidently all ablaze for Grant.

OUR NEXT CONGRESSMAN.

The question, who shall be our next candidate for congressman this fall, is being discussed in quiet ways by the Republicans of the Second congressional district. In Washtenaw county, which has not furnished a member of congress since 1860, there is a general feeling that there will be no impropriety in sending to the convention a solid delegation in favor of the nomination of one of her own citizens. As to who that will be, we have heard but one name mentioned, and we are glad to say that the gentleman who bears it, is not untried, or without experience in the discharge of legislative duties. He is not only well known in his own county, but favorably know throughout the district and the State. It is gratifying to note such unanimity of sentiment as there is in Washtenaw county in favor of the nomination of J. Webster Childs, of Augusta.

From the very general expression of opinion which we hear, we feel confident that the Republicans of Washtenaw county desire the nomination of J. Webster Childs. They have tried him and he has always discharged the duties imposed upon him with ability and fidelity. While he is a farmer a fact which will add to his strength in this district, his views are broad, and he has a practical knowledge of our varied State interests, and a large legislative experience.

Our educational and charitable institutions, in which the people of Michigan have a just pride, have had no truer friend, or abler advocate than Mr. Childs whose devotion to their interests, must everywhere be recognized. The agricultural college with which he has been specially identified, is largely indebted to his efforts for its present prosperous condition and national reputation.

He is a pure man, upright in character, and unfaltering in his devotion to Republican principles.

The Republicans of Washtenaw county and of the Second district would do honor to themselves in nominating and electing him as their next Representative to Congress.—*Register.*

Our canvass of Republican sentiment in this part of the county, city and country is heartily in unison with the views expressed by the *Register*. (Augusta being one of the outskirts of the city, until the Butler road gets along at all events) The COMMERCIAL at the home of J. Webster Childs, seconds the nomination and will spare no reasonable effort to secure it. Let Washtenaw county go to the Congressional Convention with a solid and enthusastic delegation for Mr. Childs, and there will be scarcely a doubt of his nomination and if nominated, he will be triumphantly elected. His name will excite more enthusiasm especially among the agriculturalists in the District than any other mentioned for the nomination. We do not need in this endorsement of the *Register* to say one word to the fellow citizens of Mr. Childs. He has been known in this community in so many and so varied public responsibilities, all faithfully and satisfactorily performed that it would only be a waste of amunition to enter into detail. Suffice it to say the Republican majorities in this the First Representative District of Washtenaw, and we can add Superior and Salem, shout, amen.

GOV. BEAL.

It is rumored that Rice A. Beal is on a "still hunt" for the nomination for Governor. We are informed, that he says "That quite a number of small men are seeking the office, why not he?' So far as we are aware Br. Beal is the only publisher in the field, and if he proposes to enter the list on the above basis the COMMERCIAL objects. It does so in the name of the editorial and publishing fraternity of the state. As a fraternity we can not afford to have a "small pattern" represent us in the chair of State. There is no disguising the fact however, that beside some Governers we have had, Br. Beal would appear to good advantage. He is a first class and successful business man, rarely fails in what he undertakes. He is an indefatigable, energetic worker, and if he could, keep personal interests, ends and aims out of sight, the animosities and factional clashings in which he has been so much mixed up and indeed an important actor and factor, he would not make a bad Governor. He is shrewd enough to select first class talent to write, put in good english his messages and other state papers. If he would go in for mutual concilliation, who knows but Br. Dean of the *Register* and Col. Grant would receive important appointments. Dr. Chase fought him hard for years and is now a cordial friend. To tell the truth Beal is *great*, great in conciliation, great in overthrowing his enemies, great in compassing his ends. Washtenaw County has never had a Governor, never before has had an applicant for the position rich enough to live on the pitiful salary. Let old Washtenaw now stand up on her merits, plead her past modesty, her present needs and imposing deserts and demand the nomination. Br. B. count on the COMMERCIAL It will not stand in your way a particle. How consoling it would be though fo place at the head of the *Register*,

For Governor
RICE A. BEAL,
of Washtenaw.

And then what a happy idea, Washtenaw has at last a Governor—and Ann Arbor is not behind that insatiable beggar, Detroit.

THE STATE CONVENTION.

The following are the delegates from Washtenaw:

Rice A. Beal; Capt. E. P. Allen; J. Webster Childs; Clinton Spencer; Milton Reynolds; Jacob Emerick; E. Townsend; Geo. S. Wheeler; Andrew J. Sawyer; Richard Glazier; Prof. M. C. Tyler; W. H. Pottle; Wm. Judson; John Henley; James McLaren, and John E. Hall.

By a vote of the Committee Capt. E, P. Allen was selected as temporary chairman over Dr. Rynd, the votes standing 6 to 7. We will give his able speech next week. It was received with tumultuous applause. James O'Donald of the Jackson *Citizen* was chosen Secretary. Both the gentlemen served as permanent officers of the convention.

The following are the delegates to the Chicago Convention:

AT LARGE.

James F. Joy; O. N. Conger; Perry Hannah; E. C. Watkins.

DISTRICT DELEGATES.

First District—D. O. Farrand, W. G. Thompson.

Second District—J. D. Ronan, Monroe; Louis R. Penfield, Hillsdale.

Third District—C. D. Randall, Branch; Morgan Bates, Jackson.

Fourth District—A. H. Morrison, Berrien; J. W. French, St. Joseph.

Fifth District—Amasa B. Watson, Kent; George A. Farr, Ottawa.

Sixth District—E. M. Adams, Genesee; Chas. Kipp, Clinton.

Seventh District—B. W. Huston, Tuscola; Wm. Jenny, Macomb.

Eighth District—Thos. N. Stevens, Montcalm; Edward O. Avery, Alpena.

Ninth District—Delos A. Blodgett, Osceola; J. H, Chandler, Houghton.

The alternate delegate for the Second District is A I. Sawyer. All the Delegates are pledged to vote first and last for James G. Blaine, Seven-eights of the Convention, at least were for Blaine. The resolutions presented by Prof. Tyler, of the University have a very refreshing ring; able and stalwart.

1. The Republican party of Michigan in Council assembled gratefully and reverently recalls the memory of its two illustrious chiefs who have fallen since our last convention. Wm. A, Howard, and Zachariah Chandler.—and in this city where they sleep in their graves side by side, we solemnly pledge renewed fidelity to the great and sacred principles for which these men lived and died.

2. Those principles are exact justice and the security of all civil and political rights, to all men of whatever race or nationality, and in whatever section of the country; the ballot box made and kept accessible to every citizen, without peril, and without intimidation: the rule of the majority as expressed in an honest ballot, honestly cast and honestly counted: absolute fidelity to all public and private obligations; a sound currency as the only system that is honest and that gives to the laboring man fair and just protection; and the authority of the nation as the expression of the will of the American people.

3. That the choice of the Republicans of Michigan for President is James G. Blaine; and the delegates chosen this-day to the Cnicago convention are requestec to use all proper efforts to secure his nomination.

4. That we pledge our cordial and hearty support to the nominees of the national Republican convnetion at Chicago.

By a unanimous vote Sen. Ferry was recommended for Vice-President.

Sen. Baldwin was made Chairman of the State Central Committee. There were 534 delegates in attendance.

GENERAL JOE JOHNSON has expressed his determination to retire from puplic life at the expiration of his term in Congress.

THE defeat of the Third-termers in Chicago last night, makes it certain that Grant will not have his own State in the National Republican Convention.—*Cincinnati Commercial.*

THE ST. LOUIS CONVENTION.

The candid among the promoters of the St. Louis convention will probably admit that it was a practical fiasco. For a national convention the attendance was ludicrously small. Among its members was not a man of commanding influence, scarcely a man of more than the most limited local reputation. Ex-senator Henderson, of Missouri, and Bluford Wilson, of Illinois were the most conspicuous figures in its proceedings; both of them are well-known to have "grievances," and neither of them are men who are qualified by either abilities or services to pronounce upon Gen. Grant's claims on the affection and respect of the American people. The only noteworthy feature of its deliberations was the reading of letters from a number of really prominent and influential gentlemen, expressing strong anti-third-term opinions, but in every case mentioned by the telegraph these men had already given their views to the public at length.

The St. Louis convention will not add in any respect to the force or effect of their position, while their distrust of that demonstration was revealed in the caution with which they connected their names with it.

The treatment of Gen. Grant's reputation by this gathering of obscurities will arouse an indignation that will be shared in even by the great majority of Republicans, who are strongly opposed to the third-term principle. The name of Ulysses S. Grant is dear to the loyal American people as that of an illustrious patriot of firm purpose, pure character, and rare usefulness. The verdict of history upon his services to this republic is foreshadowed by the admiration which his career even in lifetime commands from other nations. Assaults upon his fame he can afford to despise, while the Republican party will certainly resent them. The St, Louis utterances will command no Republican indorsement worth having, but there will be a wide response to the spirit and words of the declaration put forth on the same day by the Republicans of New Hampshire, who, while opposing Gen. Grant's presidential nomination, nevertheless placed in their platform this resolution:

That we congratulate Uiysses S. Grant, the most renowned and illustrious citizen of the republic, on his safe return from his tour of the world, and we fervently wish that the afternoon of his remarkable life may be made serene by exemption from strife, and happy in the respect and affection of a grateful country, whose unity he did so much to preserve, and whose great destiny he did more than any of his compatriots to advance.

The Chicago convention will decide the question of the Republican presidential nomination uninfluenced by the spirit or action of the St. Louis convention or the existence of its representatives.—*Post and Tribune.*

WHAT R. E. FRASER SAYS.

The liquor dealers propose raise $200-000 to be "put where it will do the most good" for the following purposes:

1. To prevent the people having a chance to vote in favor of a constitutional amendment prohibiting the sale of intoxicating liquors in the State.

2. To repeal all existing restrictions on the sale of intoxicating liquors.

All the temperance men ask is that the people may say what they want. Is that a presumptous demand in a free country? All we ask of the legistature is, that they submit the question to the people in the shape of a constitutional amendment—the only way they can vote directly upon it. We do not ask any member of the legislature to declare in favor of or against the amendment; we only ask him to say he is willing to let the people vote on it. We do not ask him to pledge himself or his party to the support of the amendment; we only ask him to submit the question to the people themselves and let them vote on it, irrespective os party. We want the question submitted in the form of a constitutional amendment, utterly disconnected with all political questions, giving every elector a chance to vote for or against it without injury to his party, or the surrender of any of his party principles. Whether the measure is lost or won, no party will be responsible for it. The glory or disgrace of the result will rest with the people as citizens and not as partisans, and with them alone. I know some temperance men who say they will vote against the proposed amendment, if submitted; and I know many drinking men who will vote for it. This way of meeting the question takes it entirely out of the field of partisanship.

What good is to come of submitting the question to the people?

1. It sets at rest, for a long time, at least, a vexed question.

2. It ascertains the people's will, which it is the duty of the people's servants to know.

3. It will open a fair and non partizan discussion of the question of liquor-selling and its effects upon the State, and thereby educate the people; which will benefit—certainly not injure—them.

4. It will give the liquor-dealers a chance to put their advocates and orators into the field to show the people how the temperance "fanatics" have misled and deceived them; and, of course, backed by their $200,000 they can overthrow whatever arguments the temperance people can advance against them.

We have no standing army, and I am glad of it. I have had opportunity in the last three years to see much of standing armies, and I know what they are. In our country every man is a soverelgn, and when necessary every man is a soldier."—*Gen. Grant.*

THIS was the conclusion of William E. Chandler's address to the New Hampshire Republican convention:

It is your duty to fulfill the pledges made by the Republican party through and after the next presidential election, fought upon a radical platform, and led by a stalwart candidate who will perform after his election what he promises before his election. If the Republican party dose not thus take up its neglected duty and dedicate itself anew to its unperformed mission, it will die the death of a recreant, and it will deserve its doom. Therefore, I declare for extreme radical principles and a stalwart candidate committed to them, James G. Blaine.

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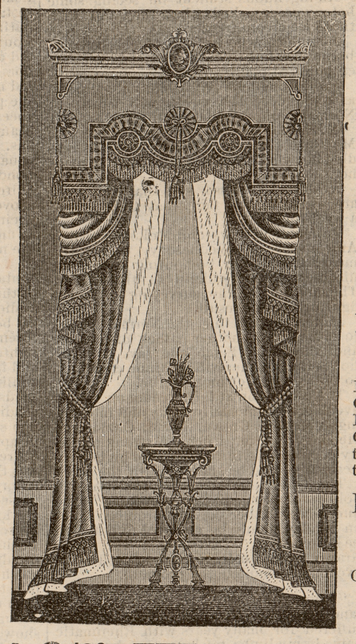
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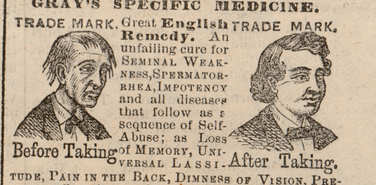
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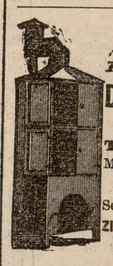
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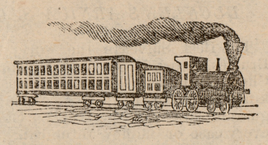

TRAVELLERS' GUIDE.

MICHIGAN CENTRAL.

EAST.—2:20, 6:41, 8:55, 10:48 A. M.; 5:23, 5.38 P. M.
WEST—8:20, 10:48 A. M.; 5:05, 7:05, 9:38, 11:07 P. M.
Way freight, west 8:05 A. M.

DETROIT, HILLSDALE AND SOUTH-WESTERN

Ypsilanti.

FOR HILLSDALE—7:30 and 8:25 A. M., 5:45 P. M.
FROM HILLSDALE—7:58 A. M.; 2:45, 2:50 P. M.

Saline.

EAST—10:10 A. M.; 4:48 and 7:12 P. M.
WEST—8:30 and 8:57 A. M; 6:13 P. M.

TOLEDO AND ANN ARBOR RAIL ROAD.

The train on the D. H. and S. W. R. that leaves Ypsilanti at 7:30 A. M. connects at Ypsilanti Junction with the train on the T. and A. A, R. R., that arrives at Toledo at 10:00 A. M. Returning, the train leaves Toledo at 6:10 P. M. and arrives in Ypsilanti at 8:10 P. M.

Post-Office Directory.

Way mail between Ypsilanti and Jackson, and Mich. Air Line, closes at	8:10 A. M.
Through and way mail west, closes	10:30 A. M.
D. H. & S.-W., closes at	8.40 A. M.
Through and way mail east, closes	10:30 A. M.
Through and way mail east, closes	5:00 A. M.
Western mail distributed	6:00 A. M.
Western and eastern mail distributed	9:00 A. M.
Grand Rapids and way mail dist	11:30 A. M.
Eastern mail distributed 9 A. M., 11:30 A. M., 6 P. M.	
D. H. & S.-W. mail distributed	6:00 P. M.
Belleville stage arrives	9:00 A. M.
Belleville stage departs	9:30 A. M.

Daily except Sundays.

Friends of the *Commercial* who have business at the Probate Conrt, will please request Judge Harriman to send their printing to this office.

COUNTY, STATE AND GENERAL NEWS.

From an Occasional Correspondent.

STONY CREEK.

Circus bills on the a Church shed.

D. R. Shier lectures at the M. E. Church in Moreville next Sunday at 2:30 o'clock on temperance. W. E. Dunning at the Red Ribbon Club at the Monegan School house next Friday evening and Capt. E. P. Allen on the same subject at the M. E. Church in Augusta on Sunday evening 23d.

Lewis Olds is quite sick.

Rev. Blain and family, are away on a visit, will return this week.

The Dillon and Milledge land lawsuit is at last ended, and Mr. Dillon is living on the farm, taking a peacable possession.

On Thursday of last week at the hotel of Mr. G. M. Bronson at Mooreville, Capt. A. A Olcote died very suddenly. He had been ailing for some and at last consulted Dr. Oakley who gave him a bottle containing a quantity of Chloral Hydrate with directions how to use it. It is supposed that he took the whole quantity at one dose. When he was found he was in a comatose condition from which he never rallied. He served in the Union army throughout the war and gained his epauletts by his meit. Arising from private to that of Capt. He did some enginering for which he received the highest encomiums from his commanding officer, he was a member of Gen. Thomas's staff. He never enjoyed good health after the war closed having contracted desease while in the service, which followed him to his death. He came to Stony Creek last fall, when he took up his residence with his sister Mrs. Sarah Smith who did all in her power to make him as comfortable as possible. The funeral services were held Friday at Mooreville. He was buried at Stony Creek. In him we lose one of our country's most noble defenders.

Your correspondent was treated to the very great enjoyment of looking over Mr. Watson Barr's herd of Chester white hogs yesterday. He has nearly fifty, and to hog fanciers I should think they would be quite an enjoyment. He has also the Royce Reaper for sale He informed me that he has already received orders for 20.

Old Uncle Paul Masters is dangerously sick.

Begole & Hopson are adding to their stock of goods.

Surveyors for the new Railroad were through just southof here yesterday.

From the Ann Arbor Courer.

About a carload of Ypsilanti people came up to hear Rev. Joseph Cook's lecture last Friday night.

The Toledo, Ann Arbor & Northeastern railroad has Henry W. Ashley for its auditor and treasurer.

Will Carlton has at length been engaged to appear in this city, on the 21st. and 22d. inst., under the auspices of the county pioneer society and the reform club.

Two of East Milan's roughs languish in the Ann Arbor jail. Too much forty rod whisky did it. Better look out a little when in Ann Arbor, they don't bear the roughing that Dundee does.

Bills are out for a county mass temperance convention, to be held in this city on the 28th. of this month. The temperance people will endeavor to make it one of the largest and best meetings of the kind ever held in this city.

Some of the saloon-keepers are having the law relative to keeping open on Sunday enforced against them. If our merchants and business men are compelled to close their doors Sunday, why shouldn't the saloons willingly do the same, and not wait for compulsion?

A "stage struck" young lady, was arrested by the officers in this city, on a telegram from Chicago, on Monday, and retained until the arrival of her parents Tuesday morning, who took her back home. She was induced to run away by a young lady companion, so her parents say.

Rev. Joseph Cook, Boston's eloquent divine, delivered a powerful lecture last Friday evening before the student's Christian association. One of the finest audiences of the season gathered to listen to the same, and by their strict attention for two and one-half hours proved their extreme interest in what he said.

The new bridge in this city over the Huron river, for the Ann Arbor & Northeastern railroad, is to be quite an extensive and expensive affair. It is to be 1,000 feet long, and at the place where it crosses the M. C. R. R., it will be 18½ feet above the track of that road. Prof. Greene, of the university, is to be superintendent of its construction, and H. M. Ashley left for Saginaw last Monday to purchase the lumber. Pile driving has commenced on Chubb street, in the rear of Geo. W. Palmer's residence.

From the Argus.

Two circuses are traveling through the State, but neither one seems disposed to stop in Ann Arbor.

After a sickness of eight days John C. Burkhardt, a dealer in harness, trunks, etc., died on Wednesday of inflamation of the lungs, aged 33 years. He leaves a wife and several children. His widow holds a policy of $1,000 in the Mutual Life company.

Among several boys playing around the dam on Sunday afternoon was that of Mr. Comisky, a resident of the third ward, about 15 years of age who, venturing to walk across a plank over the falls of the dam, became dizzy and fell. The swift current bore him rapidly down the stream. Twice he disappeared. As he was going down the third time, Mr. R. D. Swartout, night operator at the Central depot, who, observing the situation was making his way to the river, entered it and seizing the boy, brought him to the shore, where after going through usual forms of resuscitation, he was restored to consciousness. It was an exceedingly narrow escape for the boy.

From the Register.

The amount of the liquor tax received by County Treasurer Fairchild, upon the different parts of the county, up to Monday last. was as follows: Ann Arbor, $4,145; Ypsilanti, $2,560; Manchester, $860; Dexter, $795; Chelsea, $530; Saline, $330; Freedom, $222; Bridgewater, $330; York, $65; Lima, $65; Scio, $130; total, $9,882.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.—Sarah J. Wise to W. L. and L. E. McCullough, lot 160 and part lot 169. Ypsilanti; $465.64.

James Wilkinson to Harriet D. Ingersol, land on Huron st. in Norris & Cross add. to Ypsilanti; $4,500.

Ellen Hammer to O. L. Stewart, lot 444, Norris' add. to Ypsilanti; $1,500.

Jeremiah Deyo to Mary Foster, lot 44, Cross & Bagley's add. to Ypsilanii; $1,000.

Jane Rowley to A. J. Leetch, interest in land in sections 32 and 33, Sylvan; $2,500.

Wm. A. Wheeler to Mary Smith, 60 acres, sec. 4, Pittsfield; $2,015.49.

Eugene Laible to Warren G. Vinton, ten acres, sec. 3, Ypsilanti; $6,000.

O. L. Stewart to Geo. Perry, lot 444, Norris' add. to Ypsilanti; $900.

O. S. Burt to Mary A. White, land on Norris st., Ypsilanti; $500.

J. A. Blackmer to S. Frain, land on River st., Ypsilanti; $450.

W. M. Osband, 5 acres, Ypsilanti tp.; $1,000.

The Mississippi hotel at St. Louis has gone up in smoke, a number of inmates lost their lives.

A boy dropped a lamp in Geo. Eberhardt's harness establishment at Akron, O., last evening. Loss about $35,000.

JURORS FOR THE JUNE TERMOF COURT.

Manchester—Wm. C. Logan, Mynders Mather.
Northfield—Bernhardt Bauer, Judson Salyer.
Pittsfield—Clinton Clark, Frank E. Mills
Salem—Myron E. Knapp, Geo, N. B. Renwick,
Saline—Volney E. Davenport, Nelson Hendershot.
Sharon—Lyman Hurlbert,
Scio—Frank Goodale.
Superior—John Stabler.
Sylvan—Joseph Goodrich.
Webster—Wm. Martin.
York—James M. Kelsey.
Ypsilanti tn.—Chas. Alban.
Ypsilanti City—H. H. Brinkerhoff, John N. Howland.
Ann Arbor Township—Andrew Mead.
Ann Arbor City—Joseph Ellis, A. J. Rhches, Robert. B. Glazer.
Augusta—Edwin S. Butts.
Bridgewater—Erastus M. LeBaron.
Dexter—Joseph McGuinness.
Freedom—John P. Buss.
Lima—Thos. Coy.
Lodi—John Kress.
Lyndon—E. G. Taylor.

APPORTIONMENT OF PRIMARY SCHOOL FUND.

	No. Children.	Am't apportion'd.
Ann Arbor	305	$143 35
Ann Arbor City	2,483	1,167 01
Augusta	520	244 40
Bridgewater	402	188 94
Dexter	307	144 29
Freedom	506	293 20
Lima	303	142 41
Lodi	362	170 14
Lyndon	242	113 74
Manchester	774	363 78
Northfield	375	176 25
Pittsfield	228	154 19
Salem	243	114 21
Saline	559	292 73
Scio	878	412 66
Sharon	351	160 27
Superior	448	210 56
Sylvan	678	218 66
Webster	229	107 63
York	570	267 90
Ypsilanti	379	178 13
Ypsilanti City	1,571	738 37
Total	12,857	$6,042 79

Barnum is once more vindicated. There was some skepticism about town as to whether his group of native Zulus would prove to be foreign or home savages, especialy since the excitement at Hartford a few weeks ago, when young Mr. Wilder interviewed an alleged Zulu who was making a show of himself in the Zulu tongue and found that he was as ignorant of that language as of Greek Considerable interest was awakened in Barnum's heathen when it became known to a limited circle in this city that the Grout family, who reside here but were long engaged in missionary work in Africa, where the younger members were born, would try the Hartford experiment over again. When the Zulus were addressed in the circus tents yesterday in their own tongue, they not only responded readily but were not a little pleased to find some one to talk with them for the second time since coming to this country. The conversation became for the crowd an interesting side-show which was not down on the bills.—*Springfield Repudlican.*

Rev. P. N. Granger of St. Albans, Vt., and Presiding Elder of the St. Albans District, in a letter of recent date, says: "I will say that my experience with Kendall's Spavin Cure has been very satisfactory indeed. Three or four years ago I procured a bottle of your agent, and with it, cured a horse of the lameness caused by a spavin. Last season my horse became very lame and I turned him out for a few weeks when he became better, but when I put him on the road he grew worse, when I discovered that a ring-bone was forming, I procured a bottle of Kendall's Spavin Cure and with less than a bottle cured him so that he is not lame, neither can the bunch be found."

TIMELY CAUTION.

Genuine Hop Bitters are put up in square paneled, amber-colored bottles with white label on one side printed in black letters, and green hop cluster, and on the other side yellow paper with red letters; revenue stamp over the cork. This is the only form in which genuine Hop Bitters are put up, and the sole right to make, sell and use them is granted to the Hop Bitters M'f'g Co., of Rochester, N. Y., and Toronto, Ont., by patents, copyright and trade mark. All others put up in any other way or by any one else, claiming to be like it or pretending to contain hops, by whatever names they may be called, are bogus and unfit for use, and only put up to sell and cheat the people on the credit of Hop Bitters.

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WHEAT, White extra	$ 1 09	@ 1 05
" " No. 1	1 14	@
" amber "	1 20	@
" white, No. 2		@ 98
BUCKWHEAT	70	@
FLOUR, XXX	6 50	
" Snow Flake	8 00	
" Minnesota Patent	9 00	
CORN	40	@ 42
OATS	32	@ 34
BEANS	60	@ 1 00
CLOVER SEED	3 60	@ 380
POTATOES	20	@ 25
APPLES, dried, per lb	6	@ 7½
PEARS, per bu	75	— 1 00
HONEY, cap	14	— 20
CHEESE	15	— 16
BUTTER, Fancy in tubs	18	— 19
" extra	17	—
" crock	16	—
" rolls	16	— 18
EGGS, per doz	8	— 9
CHICKENS, per lb dressed	7	— 8
" " live	4	— 5
TURKEYS, " "	10	— 11
PORK, per cwt	4 75	— 4 85
" in bbls	12 50	—
LARD	8	— 9
HAMS	10	— 11
BEEF, in quarter	5	— 6
TALLOW	4½	— 5
GREEN HIDES	7	— 7½
CURED "	9	— 9½
DEACON SKINS	25	— 40
SHEEP PELTS	1 00	— 2 50
LAMB PELTS	1 00	— 1 50
HAY, per ton	10 00	— 12 00
WOOL, per lb	45	— 50

LIVE STOCK.

COWS, Milch	$ 20 00	— 35 00
" Fatted, per lb	3	— 4
STEERS, medium, per lb	3	— 3½
" fatted, 1,200 lbs or over, per lb	4	— 4½
SHEEP, store	4½	— 5
LAMBS	4	—
" fatted, per lb	5	—
HOGS, store, per lb	4	—
" fatted, "	4¼	—

MARRIED.

ANDERSON—LEACH. At the Hurd House, Jackson, May 10th, by the Rev. M. A. Johnson, Wm. Anderson, and Mrs. Silva Leach. Mr. Anderson expects to locate at Cincinnati.

DIED.

HEATH.—In Augusta, May 13, 1880, Truman B. Heath, aged 60 years.

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NOTICE! The Board of Review of Assesments will meet at the Council Hall, on Wednesday, May 19th., 1880, for the purpose of reviewing and correctiug the assessments made by the Supervisors.

Dated, Ypsilanti, May 5, 1880.

FRANK JOSLIN,
Ciay Clerk.

CARD.

To accommodate many pupils who have more time to practice during the vacation than at any other time in the year, MR. F. H. PEASE will continue giving lessons during the summer. All pupils now taking lessons will discontinue them June 22d, and can begin again July 12th.

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" " " " . . . . . 1 50 " 1 75

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The life of Barnum, written by himself, up to 1880 will be for sale on the grounds and in the tent. Price 50 cts., cloth; paper, 20 cts. "LION JACK," Mr. Barnum's latest story, 75 cts.

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Ladies, children, and others, wishing to avoid the crowd in the evening, are advised to attend the Afternoon Exhibition

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For the Commercial.

How often we hear the saying
'Tis better to be lucky than rich ;
But a man that is stirring and plucky
Never dies of want in the ditch ;
For a plucky man mainly depends
On his own endeavor, and vim,
And be the obstacles greater or less,
They are all the same to him.

He goes around, over, or through it,
If a mountain gets in his way ;
And when he begins, he sticks to it,
For "Rome was not built in a day."
But the man who sits idly waiting
For an uncertain visit of luck,
Will find that Dame Fortune is fickle,
And has given the prize to Pluck.

Luck is but a creatre of chanuce,
And chance, you cannot put faith in.
Yet Micawber-like, many will wait
For a thing that's so very uncertain ;
But fortune will follow persistence,
And a manly endeavor to do
The work that is yours to accomplish,
And by keeping these maxims in view:

"Hold on to the plow, or else drive;"
"Your shoulder put to the wheel;"
And do not be shaken by trifles,
For the "patient mouse gets the meal;"
"The wasteful man generally wants,"
And "the lazy man frequently begs;"
"The rolling stone gathers no moss,"
"A setting hen does not lay eggs."

Then be diligent, temperate and prudent,
And you will find in the end,
That instead of having to borrow,
You will have enough, and to lend.
Do not put much faith in appearance,
Nor lean very heavy on luck ;
But mostly be governed by actions,
And keep a strong hold upon pluck.

Ypsilanti, May 4th., 1880.

A SAD STORY.

There was an Englishmen who had an only son; and only sons are often petted, and humored and ruined. This boy became very headstrong, and very often he and his father had trouble. One day they had a quarrel, and the father was very argry and so was the son; and the father said he wished the boy would leave home and never come back. The boy said he would go, and would not come into his father's house again till he sent for him. The father said he would never send for him. Well, away went the boy. But when a father gives up a boy, a mother does not. You know there is no love on earth so strong as a mother's love. A great many things may separate a man and his wife; a great many things may separate a father from his son, but there is nothing in the wide world that can separate a true mother from her child. To be sure, there are some mothers that have drunk so much liquor that they have drunk up all their affection. But I am talking about a true mother; and she would never cast off her boy.

Well, the mother began to write, and plead with the boy to write to his father first, and he would forgive him; but the boy said, "I will never go home till father asks me." Then she pled with the father, but the father said, "No I will never ask him." At last the mother came down to her sick bed, broken hearted, and when she was given up by the physicians to die, the husband, anxious to gratify her last wish, wanted to know if there was nothing he could do for her before she died. The mother gave him a look ; he well knew what it meant. Then she said, "Yes, there is one thing you can do. You can send for my boy. That is the only wish on earth you can gratify. If you do not pity him and love him when I am dead and gone, who will ?" "Well," said the father, "I will send word to him that you want to see him." "No, she says, "you know he will not come for me. If ever I see him, you must send for him."

At last the father went to his office and wrote a dispatch in his own name, asking the boy to come home. As soon as he got the invitation from his father he started off to see the dying mother. When he opened the door to go in he found his mother dying, and his father by the bedside. The father heard the door open, and saw the boy, but instead of going to meet him, he went to another part of the room, and refused to speak to him, His mother seized his hand—how she had longed to press it! She kissed him, and then said, "Now, my son, just speak to your father. You speak first, and it will all be over." But the boy said, "No, mother, I will not speak to him until he speaks to me." She took her husband's hand in one hand and the boy's in the other. and spent her dying moments in trying to bring about a reconciliation. Then just as she was expiring—she could not speak—so she put the hand of the wayward boy into the hand of the father, and passed away! The boy looked at the mother, and the father at the wife, and at last the father's heart broke, and he opened his arms, and took that boy to his bosom, and by that body they were reconciled. Sinner, that is only a faint type, a poor illustration, because God is not angry with you.

I bring you to the dead body of Christ, I ask you to look at the wounds in His hands and feet. and the wound in His side. And I ask you. "Will you not be reconciled ?"—*From Moody's Stories.*

WOMAN AS A CENSUS TAKER.

In many parts of the country women will be appointed as census enumerators, with the probable result something like this: Neatly dressed woman of an uncertain age with big book under her arm and pen in hand, rings the door-bell. Young lady appears at the door.

Census enumerator—Good morning, Lovely morning. I am taking the census. You were born?

Young lady—Yes'm.

Your name, please? What a pretty dust cap you have on. Can I get the pattern. Its just like the one the lady in the next house has. Let's see, your name ?

I havn't the pattern. Don't you get awful tired walking round taking the census?

Oh, yes, its wearisome, but I pick up a great deal of information. How nice your dinner smells cooking! Plum-pudding?

In Maine! No, I havn't plum-pudding to day. I'm looking for a new recipe—

I've got one that I took down from a lady's cook-book across the way. Are you married?

No. Want an invitation to the wedding, don't you? It will be a long time before you get it. You can keep your plum pudding recipe, thank you.

I sh'd think 'twould be some time. Have you chil—Oh, of course, I forgot. This hall carpet is just the pattern of Aunt Prudy's. She's had it more than twenty years. How many are they in the family ?

If this hall carpet don't suit you, you can get off of it and go about your censusing.

Well, you're an impudent jade, anyhow. You havn't told me when you were born, or what's your name, or when you expect to get married, and there's ten dollars' fine for not answering census-takers' questions, and if I was you I wouldn't be seen at the door in such a slouchy morning dress, so there.

Oh, you hateful thing. You can just go away. I'll pay ten dollars just to get rid of you, and smile doing it. It's none of your business, or the census' either. No, it is'nt. You can keep your pattern, and your plum-pudding, and your saucy, impudent questions to yourself—I—I—

Good morning, I must be getting on. I havn't done but three families all the forenoon, and an energetic bang of the door just missed catching a foot of her trailing dress skirts.—*New Haven Register.*

HE WANTED TO KICK HIMSELF.

So long as fools exist three-card monte men will thrive. In this enlightened age, with the newspapers preaching the dispensation of worldly wisdom to every man, woman and child who can read, it is a tax upon credulity to believe the following story of imbecility, but it is vouched for by last night's Syracuse *Standard*:

On the train that reached here last night at half-past seven from Albany was a man who claimed to be a minister. Three men got on at Schenectady, and two of them took a seat together, on the other side of the aisle, back of the clergyman. He was the capper, and the other two were the chief operators. The duet engaged in the fascinating game of three-card monte, where the little joker is to be selected, and considerable interest centered about them. The capper and the minister looked on, and the latter was horrified to see the former apparently fall an easy victim to the gamblers. The capper bet and lost and the good minister nudged him and whispered that it "was all a swindle," that "the little joker was the card with the corner turned down," etc. The capper finally suggested to his clerical friend that he had better see if he could do any better. The good minister was horrified at the suggestion. He never bet on cards, as he was a preacher, but any man with half an eye could see which it was.

"Why, I know which card it is now," said the minister triumphantly, as he surveyed the three cards as they fell on the cushion spread out in the gambler's lap.

"Which is it ?" interposed the capper.

"It is that one with the corner turned down," confidently said the man of faith.

Capper.—How much will you bet ?

Minister.—I don't want their money. I wouldn't touch a cent of this unholy stuf ; but if I can't pick out that card with one diamond in the middle I'll give them my watch and chain.

Capper.—Let's see it.

And the good man, like the great, big, soft-headed, untutored idiot that he was, handed over his gold watch and chain, worth $150.

The capper took the baubles and said he'd just hold them to see fair play ; he wanted to be sure the gamblers didn't cheat an honest man. And then the minister turned to the three cards to select the one with the diamond in the center. He picked up a card, and this is what he said as he gazed on the queen of hearts :

"Je-ru-sa-lem, it's the woman ! Well, I do declare ; how could I make such a mistake ?"

"This watch and chain, I believe, belongs to these gentlemen." and, suiting the action to the word, the capper passed over the property to the gamblers,"

"I—I—Is that what I said ?" gasped the minister.

The capper asserted that on his honor as a gentleman that was what he said.

"But I never bet," said the minister.

"Of course not said Mr. Capper, there's no betting about this. You simply said if you couldn't pick out the card with one diamond on it you would give these gentlemen your watch and chain. You failed, and they've got your watch and chain!"

For four or five minutes the minister preached one of the most earnest sermons he ever delivered. He begged the gamblers to return his property, and like the great untutored idiot that he was, he appealed to their consciences.

"Palatine Bridge!" shouted the brakeman, and the gamblers left their seats, remarking to the poor victim, we'll see you later," and jumped from the platform.

The minister came on to Syracuse, and we are glad to say he doesn't belong here. He made free to tell everybody how he had been swindled, how he wanted to kick himself, and all that, but he showed that he had a little common sense left by refusing to give his name and place of residence.

A DANGEROUS AMUSEMENT.—As outdoor sports begin the girls are sure, this spring, to take their usual turn at rope jumping. Scarcely a season passes without several reports of girls dropping dead after some long continued effort, as in trying to skip the rope a thousand times ; and even when not so carried to excess the practice is decidedly hazardous. Dr. Peck, of the Surgical Institute at Indianapolis, pronounces it a prime cause of cripples among girls. Speaking of a recent operation in which the bones of both legs of a litte girl had been removed owing to necrosis caused by rope jumping, Dr, Peck says that similar cases are of frequent occurrence, though the mischief more commonly shows itself in necrosis of the spine, not a month passes but cases are brought to the institute to be treated for injuries brought on by continuous concussions upon the bones in this amusement. He advises parents and teachers to prohibit this "pernicious pastime" at all times and under all circumstances.

When the younger Kalloch, the son of the Rev. Mayor Kalloch, of San Francisco, was ordained to the ministry, it was remarked that he was the son and the grandson of Baptist ministers. Nevertheless, last Friday evening he sent a bullet through the brain of that DeYoung who a few months ago shot (almost fatally) the elder Kalloch, and who while out on bail awaitlng trial, has continued his warfare by the less deadly but not less irritating weapons within the reach of one who owns a prominent newspaper and printing office. Clearly, the old law of sowing the wind and reaping the whirlwind is operative on the Pacific coast.—*Mich. Christain Herald.*

WASHTENAW COUNTY POMOLOGICAL SOCIETY.

EXTRACTS FROM THE PROCEEDINGS,

The subject for discussion, "Injurious Insects" was continued from the last meeting. Vice-president Baldwin stated that he had received circulars from the manufacturers of London purple, a poison for destroying insects, a substitute for Paris green and is much cheaper than the latter. It is recommended by the eminent entomologist, Prof, Lyly, of Missouri and others. The London purple is used in diluted form, the same as Paris green.

The Secretary read the views of Prof. A. J. Cook, of the Agricultural college on the coddling moth, from a recent issue of the New York Tribune. The methods recommended by the professor to destroy or combat the moth, is by bands and by keeping swine in the orchard.

J. W. Wing spoke praisingly of the music and exhibit of flowers. In regard to insects he said that it was an important matter and required close and prompt attention. The building of little fires he knew by actual experience to be effectual in destroying insects. His attention was first called to this way of entrapping moths through his lime kiln. The fires at night attracted myriads of winged insects into them, and ever since he burned lime his orchard has been free from insects. But one of the most important ways to get rid of insects is almost entirely overlooked. The birds! They are of incalculable service to the farmer and fruit grower. The birds are worthy of our tenderest sympathy and closest protection. The speaker fully agreed with Prof. Cook's recommendation in keeping swine in the orchard. We ought to keep some kind of domestic animals in our orchards to pick up the fallen, wormy fruit. They greatly assist us in keeping insects at bay. He knew of no instance where hogs had done any harm to trees in orchards.

Judge P, L. Page said he believed little fires valuable as a means to destroy or head off insects, but thought it would not be carried out by the people generally. The judge spoke urgently of the importance in forbidding hunters to hunt on premises of farmers as they are the means of driving off the birds. The importance of the birds to our welfare is recognised by all governments. The law is stringent enough to protect them, but the people do not carry it out. It is highly recommended to all to post up notices on their premises, forbidding hunters on the grounds. It is well for us to use moral suasion in keeping out these depredators, but when this fails we should avail ourselves of the law.

Mr. Baldwin remarked that it is remarkable what strong instincts birds have in finding the insects from underneath the bands put around trees. They bring forth the insects with wonderful ingenuity.

President Dorr gave his experience in warfaring with insects and highly recommended swine for orchards. He said that he now keeps twenty-five hogs in his orchard of 3,000 trees and has kept a large number of them in his orchard for many years past and with uniform good results. He does not ring his pigs but lets them root freely; he finds no injuries done by them. He rather likes the effect of the rooting. The president recognized the importance of the birds and was careful in protecting them in all ways. He helps his boys in putting up little bird houses around the yard and orchard. He spoke forcibly in favor of keeping fowls in orchards, and said that he keeps one hundred white leghorns for this purpose. He also said that his brother-in-law, who lives along the side of a railroad and about 40 feet above the road-bed, always has a good crop of plums without doing anything to prevent the ravages of the curculio ; but attributes this success to the coal smoke of the engines.

N. B, Covert said that boys with guns and dogs following at their heels do much mischief to birds and ought to be kept out of orchards and fields. He advised all to post their lands with notices forbidding all such nuisances on the place.

MOUND BUILDERS.

WHO ARE THEY.

From all evidences yet known, the state of Michigan must have been once densely populated with this peculiar people. The same influences which cause men of our day to erect villages and cities near water appeared to influence them, as nearly all their mounds are found near running streams. They were clearly not the progenitors of the red men. As there exists a chain of these tumuli and mounds from the great lakes down through Michigan, Ohio and the Mississippi and Misouri river valleys through to Mexico, it would seem a reasonable deduction to say that they were the progenitors of the Aztecs of Mexico, aud of the white Indians found in South America. This theory is also strengthened by the fact that both nations were sun worshipers, both used the earthmarks as fortifications, and both appeared to be, from the relics found, possessed of about the same degree of civilization. They were evidently an agricultural nation. They seem always to have fought on the defensive, and appear to have had frequent battles, evidently with some stronger nation which was apparently driving them up the river valley, about in the same way the Indians of to-day are forced west.—*Evening News.*

LICENSE AT THE BAR OF GOD.—"Yes," said the Rev. John Pierpont, "you have a license, and that is your plea ; lock it among your choicest jewels; guard it as the apple of your eye; and when you die and are laid out in your coffin, be sure that the precious document is placed between your clammy fingers, so that when you are called upon to confront your victims before God, you may be ready to file your plea of justification and to boldly lay down your license on the bar of the Judge. Yes, my friend, keep it ; you will then want your license signed by the county commissioners and indorsed by the selectmen."

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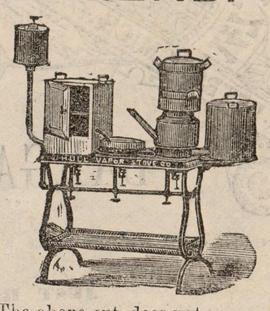

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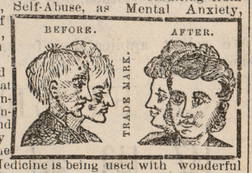

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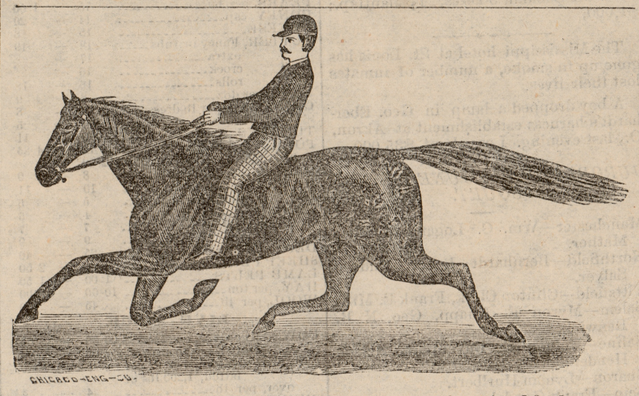

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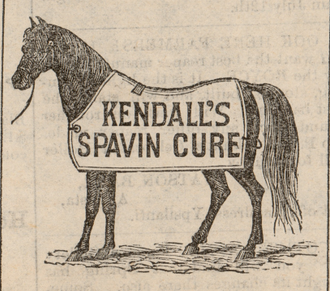

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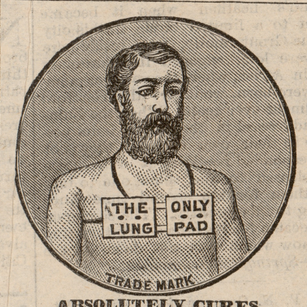

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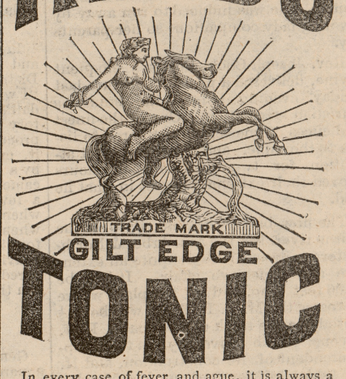

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To take a local paper, and deprive
My family from reading all the news,
Or pay up promptly what the printer asks,
And by such payments cheer him? No pay, no paper;
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And local hap throughout the country,
And divers topics—'tis a consummation
That I long have feared. To pay, or stop?
To stop! perchance to lose—aye, there's the rub,
For in that stop no interest do I take
Of anv of the affairs which move the town,
And such a shuffling of all that's good
Must make me pause. There's the respect
Which every editor maintains for those
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A PROFESIONAL 'MASHER."

How a Giddy Detroit Girl Extricated Herself from His Toils.

The art of "mashing" or getting acquainted with young girls for the purpose of seduction, is followed by many young men in large cities as a systematic pursuit. The most unscrupulous, and consequently the most successful practitioners of this depraved and beartless pursuit, are generally commercial travelers, who are a disgrace to their own fraternity. One of these irresistible drummers recently "spread himself" on Griswold street. and after ogling the damsels who entered and left the postoffice building, finally attracted the attention of a very pretty but light-headed miss of "sweet seventeen," whose parents move in very good society in this city.

The young lady happened to look at the drummer, and he promptly bowed and twirled his mustache. She responded with an involuntary smile and a coquetish look as she vanished inside the stone portals.

The masher had got a bite, and he forthwith proceeded to land his fish. From a favorable stairway he waited till she came out of the building, and. following up Congress street, overtook her in a quiet block.

"You will pardon me," he said, doffing his beaver, "but you so much resemble a beautiful lady friend of mine who came out west last year that I took this liberty."

The young girl answered heedlessly, and he walked at her side. While escorting the girl to her home on Fourth street, he made an appointment for a similar meeting next day. They met again, and he escorted her home once more, after obtaining a promise to go driving that evening. At 8 o'clock p. m. a covered buggy might have been seen waiting in the vicinity of St Paul's church, and in a few moments the young girl, with a nervous air, and shrinking from possible discovery by her friends, was helped into the vehicle.

"Now remember," she said, "I don't want to go far. I have to be home at 10 o'clock."

"You will be home before that time if you wish," said the masher, soothingly.

She was young, and this was her first escapade, her fancy being excited and her imagination worked on by silly tales of flirtation indulged in by other heedless girls. but she was no fool. An hour's rapid driving brought the pair to a wayside hotel, when the masher stopped his horse and persuaded her to alight.

"A private room," he whispered to the waiter, who winked knowingly, and preceded them up stairs to an apartment, the window of which overlooked the front of the house. The girl heard the whisper and saw the wink, and she began to feel uneasy. Her companion's words were gallant and reassuring, however. After being seated he said:

"Will you have a glass of wine?"

"No, I thank you," said the girl coolly.

"Oh! yes; you will, after your ride; it will do you good. I will go down and get some."

The girl wondered why the waiter was not summoned for this service, and began to be suspicious. Her cavalier appeared shortly with two glasses of sherry and insisted that she should drink one. She refused. He insisted. She noticed that in one of the glasses the wine appeared to be of a lighter color than in the other, and asked if they both contained the same kind of wine.

"Yes, both sherry," said the rascal; "you drink one, and I will drink the other."

Just at that moment several carriages drove up to the door, and the girl said, hastily,

"Why, they are driving into your horse and buggy!'

Visions of a big bill for damages at the livery stable sprang up before the masher's eyes, and he moved hastily to the window. The moment his back was turned the girl changed the positions of the glasses.

"No danger," said the masher; "the hostler down there is attending to the rig. Now *do* drink your wine."

"Well, I suppose if I have to drink it, I must. You drink yours, too."

"Certainly."

Glasses clinked and the wine disappeared. The masher smacked his tongue distastefully, and expectorated, looked uneasy, but talked volubly. In a few minutes he seemed to be talking against time, and acted as though he wanted to fight off some invisible enemy. Then his head began to droop, his speech commenced to get disconnected, and, after several frantic attempts to walk across the room, he finally fell almost insensible on a lounge.

The young lady called the landlord, who summoned a physician. She was taken home, or near her home, by the hostler, and, arriving there in time, said nothing of the occurrence, keeping it secret to this day.

The masher was pumped out, and after a sick night, came back to the city next day. He told the landlord that he would give him $25 if he would procure him another interview with the girl, but the landlord, to whom she revealed her name and residence, only shook his head; and she doesn't go out driving with strangers any more.—*Evening News.*

THE DRUNKARD'S SOLILOQUY, AND WHAT CAME OF IT.

BY VEVIA WADSWORTH.

Many years ago, when although the evils of intempefance were plainly seen, few people seemed to think they had any responsibility in the matter. They would shake their heads and sigh at the recital of some new story of misery and degradation, then live on quietly as before.

Then, in the little country store, could be found, beneath the same roof with the various articles for food, fabrics for clothing, and household conveniences and necessities. a barrel of whiskey, accompanied perhaps by some other alcoholic beverages.

Such was the little village store. owned by a monied man, but managed by three young clerks. Smith the youngest, was a handsome, dark eyed youth of nineteen years. He seemed to have a natural hatred for whiskey. His father could hardly be called a drunkard yet the children and visitors in their home were always treated with punch, and other tempting drinks. One day on going to the large demijohn in which whiskey was always kept, it was found to be empty. Liquor must be had, so Smith (then a small boy) with a pint bottle was sent after some. To go with a bottle for liquor, just as he had seen old drunkards do, was, he felt, a great disgrace. He dared not disobey, although the command filled him with indignation and wrath. Never before had drinking habits seemed so contemptible to him; in his anger he cursed the men who made it, those who sold, and those who drank and resolved that he would never touch it again. Sometimes he thought he would break the bottle upon the nearest stone, and then run away to escape punishment. However the bottle reached its destination in safety, but Smith ever after, so stoutly refused to be treated, that he was called the "temperance boy," a rarity in those days.

The village store in which we find him, was many miles from his home. Maurice Brown was one of the regular customers. He lived in a little log house about three miles from the village. He worked about the country as a farm hand, and received his wages at the end of each week. He was wont to quit work at noon, on Saturdays, he might come into the store, where he would spend the remainder of the day in drinking, and lounging about, and at night after his bottle was filled, there would be little, or no money left to buy provisions. It mattered little to him that his wife with all her hard work, and the neighbor's help, was barely able to keep them from starving; that his children went in rags, and there was no comfort in their home. To have plenty of whiskey, seemed to be his only aim. All the week he would toil, for the sake of the spree that came at its close.

Saturday, the busiest day of the week had come again, and people were supplying themselves with the necessities of life. Maurice, as usual, made his appearance in the afternoon, and night found him intoxicated. It happened that young Smith had a journey to make that night, in the same direction as Maurice's home. To be sure, a drunken man would be anything but good company, but acting upon the saying, "poor company is better than none," Smith concluded they had better travel together. A little after dark, they set out upon their long walk, which lay part of the way through the woods. What uncongenial companions they were!

One erect and manly unfettered by the chains of alcohol; his prospects in life cheering, his heart light and joyous, its beating quickened as he thought of the warm welcome awaiting him, and the pleasure of spending the Sabbath in the company of one dearly loved.

The other staggering along with scarcely sufficient consciousness to guide his uneven steps; as whiskey's slave, what prospects had he? A life of misery and shame a drunkard's grave at the end; his coming would only darken the shadows in his comfortless home. For some time they walked on in silence. The trees stood about them like giant statues, and there was something almost gloomy in the stillness. At length Maurice said, in a reflective tone as if to himself:

"I am a mean man, a——mean man! I work hard all the week, and then spend my money for whiskey, when my family are in rags and suffering for food, and would be left to starve if the neighbors were not kinder to them than I am. Yes, I am a mean man, don't you think so."

"Yes," said Smith, "I think so."

"What," said Maurice, in an angry tone, and his fists doubled up threateningly, "you call me a mean man?"

"I did not call you anything."

"Yes you did, you called me a mean man."

"No, I only consented to what you said."

"You have no business to say so if I did."

"Well," said Smith in a pacifying tone, "I guess we won't quarrel about it." Again Maurice fell to soliloquizing, in much the same manner as before, but closed by saying, "You ought not to let me have any more liquor, you won't will you."

"No," said Smith, "I won't."

"You won't will you? I'll see if you won't let me have any more liquor!"

"Well we will see about that," and young Smith meant what he said. Soon they reached the point in the road, where their paths separated.

The next week Smith had a talk with the other clerks, concerning Maurice. Under the circumstance they felt it would be wrong to allow him to spend his money thus, and they all agreed not to sell him any more liquor.

Another week went by, and Saturday came again and with it came Maurice as usual. The upbraidings of conscience were silenced now, and the clamorings of appetite were fierce and strong.

But when he called for his first drink, Smith, true to his promises, said, Maurice, you can't have any more liquor here you remember you told me the other night, not to let you have it."

"O, I did nor mean it, I was drunk then; can't I have just one drink?"

"No, you can't have a drop."

In vain he tried the other clerks, but they were firm in their refusal. All the afternoon he lingered about, very much downcast, but still hoping they would relent. What could he do? The nearest place where liquor could be obtained was seven miles in an opposite direction from his home. and to reach it he must be ferried across the river. Here was prohibition on a small scale. That long afternoon came to an end at last, and Maurice made one more attempt to satisfy his thurst In vain he begged for just a little. "Now Maurice," said Smith, "there is no use in your asking, for I have told you that you cannot have any more liquor here. and you cannot. Now why not spend your money in something for you family!"

"Well, I beheve if I had something to carry them in, I would have some ham and eggs." A basket was provided and six dozen eggs put in it. He also bought a ham, some tea and sugar, a quantity of unbleached muslin and calico. In fact he did not cease buying until his last cent had been expended. Then he said, "Can't you treat me before I go?"

"No," said Smith, "I would do you no good, it would only arouse the appetite for more, but I will treat you to a dime's worth of candy, it will please the children, and you and your wife can have some." He was forced to be content, and this time went home, his arms laden with the good fruits of his labor. Arriving there, he put the things upon the table, then sat moodily down. His wife being a kind woman, came and inquired the cause of his sadness. "That little Smith wouldn't let me have any liquor."

"Well never mind," said she, "I'll cook you some ham and eggs, and make some good tea, and you will feel better after supper. Her heart was filled with thankfulness, she dared not then express.

The next Saturday also, whiskey was refused, and the money spent for provisions. And so each week carried him farther from his old habits of life, he ceased to ask for a drink, and would work until Saturday night, then come to supply the wants of his family. Friends were ready to help and encourage him. Sometimes his employer would lend him a horse and light wagon to go home in, as he could now be trusted. They were soon well clothed, and again made their appearance in the little church, from which they had so long been absent. All these comforts flowed from that night's soliloquy, and young Smith's promise so faithfully kept.

SHEEP WASHING.

It is a question in the minds of many wool-growers as to the practical utility of washing the fleece while it is still upon the sheep's back. A deduction—usually one-third—is made by the wool-buyers from the weight of all unwashed wool, and in most cases this is not far from the loss which the fleece would sustain in the process of washing, if it is done with the average amount of thoroughness. Nevertheless, the practice of washing the sheep is very general, and if there is no return in money for the labor of washing, there is the satisfaction of having cleaner wool to work with when shearing.

The common method of washing is to select some favorable place in a brook where the water is about three feet deep, the bottom hard and gravelly, and the current moderate, and then build a pen of rails sufficient to hold a large flock, and provided with a narrow opening towards the stream. Into this pen the sheep are driven through an opening, temporarily made for the purpose, at the rear. One man, perhaps aided by a boy, tends the flock and passes the sheep to the washers who are standing in the stream. The sheep should have previousl been tagged and freed from all large soiled clots. The washing should not be done until the water has become so warm that the sheep may not be chilled and injured. Special care must be taken with old or sickly sheep, and ewes that are still with lamb. An exposure of the sheep to a warm rain the day previous to the washing is an advantage, as it often loosens the dirt and renders the washing easier and more thorough. As the sheep are washed they should pass out upon a clean, grassy slope that rises gradually from the stream, otherwise the water-laden animals may fall and soil their fleeces. After washing, if the weather should suddenly turn cooler, the flock should be provided with shelter, to prevent their taking cold, as they would be very likely to do. From the time of washing to that of shearing, two weeks or so, the sheep should be kept in a pasture that is free from any bare ground, overhanging banks, or steep side-hills, so that the wool may be kept clean.

A second method of washing, which is employed when the stream is small but somewhat rapid, is to arrange a spout for the passage of the water, and hold the sheep under the end—the water flowing upon the animal. In this way the washer does not go into the stream, and if provided with rubber boots and apron, may keep himself comparatively dry. The washing by this method is very thorough as there is a stream of clean water constantly flowing into and through the wool, and carrying off the impurities as they are removed from the sheep.—*American Agricuturist.*

THE TWO PARTIES CONTRASTED.

The Republican party is the party of principle and the Democratic party is the party of opposition. The Republican wins only upon its bold leadership on questions of public policy. It proposes now to maintain the policy of resumption and refunding, which has been so successfully executed thus far, but must be supported hereafter by the friendly action of the Government. It proposes to maintain and enforce the constitutional amendments with all the powers of the National Government to the end that every man, poor or rich, white or black, may be secure in the full enjoyment of civil and political rights. [Applause.] It proposes to foster and extend the system of free common public schools both by State and National Governments, to the end that every child of the proper age may receive instruction in the the primary branches of education, and thus give the poor as well as the rich a fair chance in life, so that the opportunities to win an honorable position in life may not be confined to any favored or fortunate class. [Enthusiastic applause.]

I believe the Republican party is the only party in this country that has the courage and ability to carry out these great objects of the National desire, and that the controlling elements of the Democratic party cannot and ought not to be trusted to secure either of these primary conditions of good government, though there are many men in that party whose friendship I highly prize. I have a profound distrust of the principles, tendencies, and aims of that party, and now more than ever I would regard its success in gaining control of the executive and judicial branches of the Government as an unmixed calamity.—*Sec. Sherman.*

Hine, of the Lowell Journal, gives the following wholesome advice: "Young man, remember that the population of this country is now about 47,000,000 souls, and that it takes an awful smart young man now-a-days to make a majority. Think of this till you sweat; it will do you good."

The man who knows he is right can afford to wait, for

"Right is right since God is God,
And right the day will win.
To doubt would be disloyalty;
To falter would be sin."

The world respects a conscientious brave man, however much it may differ with him; but a cowardly timeserver, who sets his sails for every shifting breeze in politics is an object of contempt everywhere.

Epitaph on Mayor Thompson:

And ven I think of vat I am.
And vat I uced to vas,
I vent and throwed myself avay,
Vithout sufficient cause.

It weighs with me that the dance is not patronized by the most devout, and never has been. This is admitted by its friends.—*Dr. Bayley.*

For the want of a nail
The shoe was lost.
For the want of a shoe
The horse was lost.
For the want of a horse
The man was lost.

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